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NOTIFICATION

No. 1183/LA7/59 *Dated, Trivandrum, 27th April, 1959,*

The following Bill together with the Statement of Objects and Reasons is published, as ordered by the Speaker under Rule 73 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Assembly.

D. THIRUMALAI,
Ag. Secretary,
Legislative Assembly,

Legislature Secretariat,
Trivandrum.

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L. A. Bill No. 17 of 1959

THE MADRAS PRESERVATION OF PRIVATE FORESTS (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1959.

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BILL

further to amend the Madras Preservation of Private Forests Act, 1949.

Preamble.—WHEREAS it is expedient further to amend the Madras Preservation of Private Forests Act, 1949, for the purpose hereinafter appearing ;

BE it enacted in the Tenth Year of the Republic of India as follows :—

1. *Short title and commencement.*—(1) This Act may be called the Madras Preservation of Private Forests (Amendment) Act, 1959.

(2) It shall come into force at once.

2. *Amendment of Section 1.*—In section 1, sub-section (2), of the Madras Preservation of Private Forests Act, 1949 (Madras Act XXVII of 1949), as in force in the Malabar district referred to in sub-section (2) of section 5 of the States Reorganisation Act, 1956 (Central Act 37 of 1956), the explanation to clause (i) shall be omitted.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

Clause (i) of sub-section (2) of section 1 of the Madras Preservation of Private Forests Act, 1949, provides that the Act applies to private forests in the Malabar area of the State having a contiguous area exceeding 100 acres. According to the explanation to that clause, all forest lands which were brought under fugitive or other cultivation prior to the 14th December, 1949, by an owner or any other person claiming under him, are excluded from the operation of the clause. This exclusion causes difficulties in the successful prosecution of the cases under the Act, as it is very difficult for the prosecution to prove that a particular area was not under fugitive or other cultivation prior to the 14th December, 1949. It is therefore considered necessary to omit the said explanation.

The Bill is intended for this purpose.

K. C. GEORGE.

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Public Miscellaneous) Department.

PART I

NOTIFICATION

No. 25391/M3/59/PD. *Dated, Trivandrum, 23rd April 1959.*

In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (1) of Article 299 of the Constitution, the Governor of Kerala hereby makes the following amendments to the Notification No. 29599/M3/51/PD. dated 9-1-1959, published in the Gazette dated 13-1-1959 namely :—

AMENDMENTS

In the said Notification.

1. The existing entry under item "IV. In the case of the Department of Civil Supplies" shall be renumbered as clause (a) and after clause (a) as so renumbered the following shall be added, namely :—

"(b) *By the Tahsildars :—*

Agreements with retail and wholesale Fair Price Shop dealers".

2. In item "VIII—In the case of Industries Department" after clause (f), the following shall be added as clause (g), namely :—

"(g) *By the Handloom Development Officers :—*

Agreements relating to the grant of loans towards Share Capital to Weavers' Co-operative Societies under the Development Scheme".

3. After item "XXIII", the following shall be added, namely :—

"XXIV—*In the case of the Stationery Department—By the Controller of Stationery:*—Contracts and assurances of property in respect of the purchases made for the Stationery Department".

By order of the Governor,

C. P. GOPALAN NAIR,

Joint Secretary.

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All Secretaries, Joint Secretaries, Deputy Secretaries, Under Secretaries and Assistant Secretaries.

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